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Subject: START SOW for Dimock Residential Groundwater SIte

Joe,

Below is the scope for the TDD that is in process in EPA Region III. I am giving you verbal notice to begin work today. You should be seeing the TDD shortly. If you have any questions on that processing, please contact the CO or PO.

Rich

This Scope of Work (SOW) is to develop and execute a sampling plan and prepare subsequent and appropriate reports. In order, to prepare these reports a comprehensive history of the groundwater quality as it relates to the hydraulic fracturing and other drilling activities is also required.

The contractor will prepare a detailed sampling plan based on their research and information provided by the OSC. The contractor will then, at the direction of the OSC, execute the sampling plan and collect groundwater and surface water samples at approximately 40 locations. Most of these locations will be residents; some surface water bodies may be included. Additionally, if opportunity allows water and other media samples may be collected.

It is estimated that field activities will take about 40 days. EPA may use its own lab or require the contractor to subcontract for lab services. This is yet to be determined, based upon schedule requirements.

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